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- Expedited Examining Procedure -
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In re Application of:

Tiecheng A. Qiao, et al

**COLORABLE MICROSPHERES FOR
DNA AND PROTEIN MICROARRAY**

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Response Under 37 CFR 1.116

In response to the Final Office Action mailed 06/26/2006, please
amend the above-identified application without prejudice as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.